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## **REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

This communication responds to an Office Action dated June 26, 2007, which has a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on September 26, 2007.

Please amend the application as follows.